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### A BRAVE SPANIARD.

Washington, May 4.—Don Vicente Montejó y Trillo, vice admiral, in command of the Spanish fleet in the Philippines, is known personally to a very few men in Washington. His reputation, however, is more widespread, and many of the attaches of foreign legations have great things to say today of the man who was vanquished only by the superior courage, seamanship and marksmanship of the American warriors. Admiral Montejó was forced to abandon his flagship, the splendid Reina Maria Christina, during the engagement. He went on board the Isla de Cuba, hoisted his flag there and gave up the battle only when every one of his fighting vessels had been either battered to pieces, burned or placed hors du combat. Europeans say Montejó has splendid courage, an excellent control of men, a high order of patriotism and a thorough knowledge of sea strategy. They say he is high-spirited, and that such a crushing defeat as he received must be a severe blow to him, as his pride in his ships was equalled only by his supreme confidence in their ability to reckon well with any foe afloat. The vanquished admiral is mentioned as a man of few words, and to illustrate his taciturnity his report of his defeat is cited. While nobody here has any sympathy for Spain in her defeat at Manila, much is expressed for Montejó, who is admitted to be a higher type of Spaniard than the Weylers, De Lomas and others with whom America has had to deal in the past.

### MANILA DEWEY'S TRAFALGAR

In Manila, May 4.—Admiral Geo. Brown speaks in the most enthusiastic terms of Commodore Dewey.

"Why," said the admiral, "I may say that I brought him up. I have known him since he entered the naval academy in 1854 or 1855. What a chance he had! But he was equal to it. The fight at Manila was his Trafalgar. More fortunate than Nelson, he will live to enjoy the honor he has won."

"The moral effect of this victory in Europe is almost incalculable. The demoralization to Spain cannot be computed. I do not think Blanco can now hold out a month in Cuba."

"I would have been greatly disappointed if Dewey had not accomplished everything he was sent to do. With fine ships, with a splendid corps of officers, with as good fighting sailors as there are in the world, with modern guns, it was with me a foregone conclusion that Dewey would win."

### CONGRATULATIONS.

London, May 4.—The Parnellite members of parliament have sent the following dispatch to President McKinley:

"In the names of millions of Irishmen the Parnellite members of the house of commons send you their congratulations on the brilliant victory of the American fleet."

JOHN REDMOND.

### DIED OF APPENDICITIS.

Master Jimmie Street who was operated on a few days ago for appendicitis, died at 3 o'clock this morning, at the family residence on South Third street. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 10 o'clock. Interment at Oak Grove.

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Mobs Appear in All Her Larger Cities and Bloodshed and Riot Are Imminent.

### THE PEOPLE WANT VENGEANCE.

Believed That the Disaster at Manila Was Due to Official Incompetence and Negligence; Perhaps to a Traitor.

### SPAIN'S TROUBLES ARE ONLY BEGINNING.

Madrid, April 4.—Riots are reported from all the large cities in Spain. In many places bloodshed is imminent, for the mobs are in open revolt against the city authorities. None of the conflicts with the city or military authorities have yet been of a very serious nature, but the members of the government are greatly alarmed at the popular demonstrations.

### REVOLUTION IMMINENT.

Madrid, May 4.—A mob has attacked the residence of Senor Morabís and his life is in danger. Since the news of the Spanish fleet's defeat and rumors of the surrender of Manila have come mobs have been collecting and the police are unable to control them. Martial law has been proclaimed, but with little effect. A heavy guard protects the government officials. A wholesale massacre is anticipated. A revolution is imminent.

During the night the mob attempted to gather in the Apollo Theater, but, after breaking the windows they were dispersed. Riotous demonstrations are expected to break out at any moment, the people believing that Admiral Montejó was really betrayed by the authorities in Manila.

### SAGASTA STANDS PAT.

Madrid, May 4.—Premier Sagasta said in the Cortes yesterday that Spain will never surrender under any circumstances; that his government, Queen and people will push the war to its bitter end, and that Americans will be given no quarter at any point along the line.

### SPAIN IS DESPERATE.

Madrid, May 4.—The cabinet declared yesterday that Spain will not listen to any suggestion of intervention from European powers until Spain has made a supreme effort in the Cuban waters. All the strength of the Spanish navy is to be massed immediately for one gigantic effort to crush American fleet in the Atlantic.

Gibraltar, May 4.—It was reported here last night that Martinez de Campos and Senor Moret, secretary of state for the colonies, have been assassinated.

A report also exists that Premier Sagasta has been stormed by a mob and was compelled to take refuge in the British embassy.

From a high official source comes the information that the situation in Madrid is exceedingly serious.

Not only is the city in a state of siege, but there have been rioting and firing in the streets.

The Carlists are exceedingly active and are sending out circulars to excite the Spanish people to a revolution.

### GERMANY INTERESTED.

London, May 4.—Political complications are likely to ensue from Commander Dewey's victory. The possible American seizure of the Philippines has excited immense interest. Germany has long had a covetous eye upon these rich islands, while her interests have been a bar to any deal between Spain and Germany in relation to them. Japan also is known to eagerly desire these possessions.

Sir John Colomb, on this point said: "It is an event of enormous international importance. I should not be surprised if the German Emperor was spurred to some startling action by the prospect of his dream of possession of the Philippines being shattered by the American triumph. He has a big squadron in China seas, with his brother in command, and we may hear some significant move on

the part of that squadron within a day or two.

"I don't believe he can sit still in the face of such a blow to his most cherished hopes."

### POST-OFFICE IN CUBA.

Washington, May 4.—The postmaster general has issued an order to establish postal service in the Cuban port first occupied by the United States, and appointed Eben Brewer, of Pittsburgh, Pa., special agent of the department to organize the work. The service will cover not only the mail mails for the troops ordered to Cuba, but business mail of the ordinary character for the territory temporarily under the authority of our army.

### POSSIBLE SEA FIGHT.

Washington, May 4.—The navy department expects to hear at any moment today that the battleship Oregon and the Marietta will engage the Spanish torpedo boat Temerario near Rio Janeiro. The Spanish vessel may not attack our vessels unless reinforcements are in sight, but it is thought our vessels may engage the Spanish fighter because of its threatening attitude toward American ships.

## ENGLAND STANDS AMAZED.

Commodore Dewey's Bravery and Pluck Are on the Tongue of Every Englishman.

### MANILA DEWEY'S TRAFALGAR.

The American Hero Is More Fortunate Than Even the Old English Hero, For He Lives to Enjoy His Honors.

### IT WAS A HISTORY-MAKING BATTLE

New York, May 4.—A dispatch to the World from London says:

England has been staggered by Commodore Dewey's overwhelming victory. The superiority of the United States squadron was recognized, but it was fully believed that it would have been more than counterbalanced by the assistance afforded the Spanish fleet by the submarine mines and shore batteries.

The splendid seamanship and valor of Commodore Dewey in forcing an entrance to Manila harbor in the face of these defenses excite intense admiration, while among naval experts the dispatch with which the American squadron disposed of the Spaniards is held to prove that Commodore Dewey employed the resources at his command with the highest possible amount of effectiveness.

Lord Charles Beresford said: "It was a brilliant stroke. Everything, as I have said before, depends upon the men in modern naval warfare."

### VOLUNTEER TROOPS.

Washington, May 4.—The regulars and volunteers are to be immediately mobilized on the Pacific coast in case the troops are needed for the Philippines.

### NEW MAJOR GENERALS.

Washington, May 4.—The president today appointed Fitzhugh Lee, Gen. Wilson, Congressman Wheeler, of Alabama, and Senator Sewell, of New Jersey, to be major generals.

### AT LEXINGTON.

Frankfort, Ky., May 4.—General Collier stated today that the state militia will be mobilized at Lexington immediately company by company.

### TO PREACH HERE.

Rev. B. O. Devers will have charge of the Second Baptist church during the absence of the pastor, Rev. Lloyd Wilson, who has gone to Norfolk to attend the Baptist convention.

## THE NEXT NAVAL BATTLE.

It Will Probably Be With the Best Ships of the Spanish Navy at or Near Porto Rico.

### SAMPSON'S FLEET HAS SAILED.

Left Havana Today for an Unknown Destination With His Entire Fleet—Looking for the Spanish Fleet.

### IMPORTANT NEWS IS HOURLY EXPECTED.

Washington, May 4.—Admiral Sampson cables that he sailed this morning from Havana with his entire fleet. His destination is not given. But as he is acting under direct orders of the navy department it is very probable that he will go to meet the Spanish fleet. No one knows where the fleet is but it is supposed to be on its way to Porto Rico.

Washington, May 4.—The president and his advisors are looking for important news in the next few days. It may even be that the next development will be as important as the capture of Manila. The fleets of Admiral Sampson or Commodore Schley or of both are expected to engage the enemy in a few days.

### A HARD FIGHT YET.

Washington, May 4.—The views of those who declare that Dewey's decisive victory had ended the war with Spain and that a collapse of the enemy's cause will follow soon, are not shared by the members of the administration.

President McKinley puts no faith in the view that the end of the war is in sight. He understands that Havana must be taken before the Spaniards' views in their expressed opinion that hard fights on land and sea will occur before peace is at hand.

### THE NEXT BIG BATTLE.

Washington, May 4.—The next great battle of the war will probably be fought not at Havana, but on the high sea off the Atlantic coast, not later than Saturday. The vessels which will engage in it will probably be the Spanish flotilla, now believed to be on its way from Cape Verde islands, and a part of Sampson's squadron.

There is excellent authority for the statement that the administration believes that the Spanish men-of-war will appear at some port on the coast and attempt to retaliate for the loss of the Philippine islands by doing as much damage as possible, and when this work has been completed, sail with all speed to Porto Rico, and, if necessary, fight their way to San Juan.

New York is considered in good condition to resist attack, but this is not the case with the New England cities and ports along the Southern coast.

It was to prevent Spanish privateers from ravaging the northeast coast that the cruisers Columbia and Minneapolis were sent to patrol duty there, and the mobilization of the northern patrol squadron at Provincetown is to have a force handy to resist an attack.

Instructions to the commanding officers of the auxiliary cruisers Yankee, Prairie, Dixie and Yosemite requires them to join the flagship San Francisco at Provincetown without delay.

### ONE CRUSHING NAVAL BLOW.

London, May 4.—It is stated that the Spanish naval authorities have determined to avoid partial and isolated combats, but to unite the naval strength and crush the American squadron in Cuban waters.

A dispatch from Cadiz says that

The Spanish warships Pelayo, Alfonso and Victoria and several smaller craft are nearly ready for sea. Private advices, however, say that great difficulty is being experienced owing to lack of money. British engineers refuse to serve on board the vessels.

### PAUNCEFOTE TO RETIRE.

London, May 4.—According to a report published here yesterday the British ambassador, Sir Julian Pauncefote, is to be succeeded by Sir Thomas H. Sanderson, K. C. B., K. C. M. G., the permanent under secretary of state for foreign affairs, one of the most experienced diplomatic officers in the British service.

### FIRST CUBAN BRIGADE.

Tampa, Fla., May 4.—The first detachment of Cubans for Cuban volunteer service in the brigade forming has arrived here. There will be 5,000 in the brigade, and most of the volunteers have been secured without any effort on the part of the organizers. All that was necessary to secure the enlistment of the patriots to fight for the freedom of their people was the announcements posted here, and at Key West, saying the men were needed. This brigade will leave for Cuba as soon as transport can be secured for the men.

## TO CRUSH SPAIN'S FLEET.

No Move to Be Made on Havana Until the Spanish Fleet Has Been Annihilated.

### SHORT, SHARP AND DECISIVE

Is to Be the American Plan of the Campaign Against the Cuban Capital and General Blanco.

Washington, May 4.—Spain's fleet in the Atlantic must be annihilated before an attempt is made to capture Havana.

This was the conclusion arrived at by the war board, and it is probable that a naval engagement will be fought between the Spanish fleet now on its way across the Atlantic and the armored vessels of Admiral Sampson's command, re-enforced by Commodore Schley's flying squadron, before any steps are taken to land any army of invasion in the Island of Cuba.

The policy of the administration will be to make the campaign against Havana short, sharp and decisive. The order to do this an adequate land force must have the co-operation of all of the armored vessels that can be brought into service for the bombardment of Morro Castle and the other defenses of Havana harbor.

With Spain's fleet rapidly steaming westward, there would not be time to reduce Havana before that fleet must be met. It is also thought to be inadvisable to risk the disabling of any of the armored vessels at Admiral Sampson's command by the guns of Morro Castle before the fleet has been met. With this fleet once swept from the Atlantic Admiral Sampson could concentrate for the attack upon Havana an overwhelming force.

### PROVES BLOCKADE'S POWER

Key West, May 4.—The effectiveness of the blockade was demonstrated at 2 o'clock Sunday morning, when the flagship overhauled the English tramp steamer Strathead of Glasgow, and learned that she had been already twice boarded by boats from the Castine and Nashville.

Her captain was most amiable, under the circumstances. He was from Progreso, Mexico, on his way to Sagua. The latter is not a blockaded port, but he will undoubtedly be held up again several times before he reaches there, as several of the squadron lie in his course.

## DEWEY'S OFFICIAL REPORT.

His First Official Cable Is Being Received at Washington This Afternoon—It Is a Cipher Dispatch.

### AMERICANS CONTROL MANILA.

The Report Confirms in Full the News of the Brilliant Victory Won by Dewey Last Sunday.

### THE FUTURE OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Washington, May 4, 3:50 p. m.—A member of the Foreign Relations Committee says he saw Dewey's report, and it says:

"Captured Manila; stars and stripes float over island. Glorious victory."

The government has ordered hospital ships sent from San Francisco to Manila immediately.

Washington, May 4.—Commodore Dewey's first official cipher cable is being received at Washington this afternoon. It may not be given to the public before tonight, as it will require some time for translation.

2:36 p. m.—The cipher dispatch from Commodore Dewey as thus translated indicates that he and his warriors are in full possession of Manila and confirm the reports of the great American victory there Sunday.

### DEWEY CONTROLS MANILA.

Washington, D. C., May 4.—A message received at the French legation states that at the request of the foreign consuls general about 300 marines and 500 sailors would patrol the town and take measures for permanent municipal tranquility. The Spaniards had told such incredible tales of the ferocity of the Americans that the people of Manila were frightened almost to death. The consuls general caused the Roman Catholic Archbishop to issue a proclamation, saying that the inhabitants would be in no sort of personal danger should the city be taken. This quieted the town to a great degree.

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## FAMINE INVADES HAVANA.

Terrible Effects of the American Blockade Are Visible—The People Are Suffering From Starvation.

### PREPARING TO GO TO CUBA.

Preparations Being Rushed Today at Key West for the Invasion of Cuba, Which Begins This Week.

### CUBAN REGIMENTS FORMED FOR CUBA.

Key West, May 4.—The captains of the captured Spanish vessels lying here in port, say that the people of Havana are already feeling the terrible effects of the blockade, and that starvation even now stares them in the face. They say that the people can not hold out much longer without additional supplies.

The country around Havana is devastated and the people must get all their provisions by way of the sea.

### NO IDEA OF SURRENDER.

London, May 4.—It is announced in a special dispatch from Madrid that there is no idea of surrender there, either in ministerial circles or among the populace. On the contrary, it is added that the war is to be pursued with greater vigor.

The special dispatch adds that it is even stated at Madrid, by those who are responsible for the naval movements, that it has been determined to avoid isolated combats on unusual terms and with a superior enemy, and that they now intend to throw the whole united naval strength of Spain into one supreme effort to crush the American squadron in Cuban waters. Continuing, the special says: "proposal for intervention will be listened to."

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Three yard embroidery silk, 10c. dozen.  
Borated talcum powder, 5c. a can.  
Tooth brushes, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10, 15c.  
Enamel paint, 10c. a bottle.  
Florida water, 10c.  
Twenty-five cent smelling salts, 15c.  
Red marking cotton, four spools for 5c.  
Kid gloves, 5c.  
McKay's waists for children, 50c.  
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Shoe polish, black, tan and oxblood—none better, 10c.  
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Pearl buttons, clear white, 5c. a dozen.  
Box hair pins, 4c.  
Large spool knitting silk, 9c.  
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As the work on the sewerage system progresses, we hear nothing about the water running up hill in the sewer as it was claimed that it did while the old council had it in charge. It is wonderful what a difference there is now that it is a Democratic sewer, instead of a Republican institution.

In view of the fact that the Register always "gives the cold facts," and every report that finds its way into its columns is, to use the oft-repeated words of the Register itself, "stripped of high coloring and manufactured sensationalism," the fictitious account of the battle of Manila that it published today is a curiosity.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY has decided that 125,000 troops will require six major general to lead them, and that three of these must be regular army officers and three civilians with an army record. Accordingly he has selected Gen. George W. Shafter, Gen. J. J. Coppinger and Gen. Elwell S. Otis from the first class, and Fitzhugh Lee, "Fighting Joe" Wheeler and H. A. Wilson from the other.

REPRESENTATIVE DISMORE of Arkansas, the ranking Democrat on the foreign affairs committee is a good prophet. A few days ago he said: "The impending naval engagement in the east will be a bloody one, but within a short time we will have taken the Philippines, Cuba and Porto Rico. Then Spain will resort to privateering, but it will interfere with the commerce of other European powers, and they will put it down in short order."

WAR stimulates the study of astronomy as well as geography. When a dispatch from Hong Kong, dated 10:20 p. m. April 27, stated that the Asiatic squadron left Hong Kong for Manila that afternoon, the dispatch got here before it left Hong Kong, and still the squadron had then been at sea twelve hours. Also the results of the battle of Manila, which began at 5 o'clock Sunday morning, were known in Washington before the battle was ended. "It is all plain, however, if one remembers that when it is noon here it is midnight in Hong Kong."

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## STORY OF THE BATTLE.

Washington, May 4.—The French embassy has received some news by way of Paris touching the fight Sunday off Manila, and at Cavite. It comes from M. de Jonquiere, French consul general at Manila, and was sent before the cable was closed to the water world.

The dispatch was to the effect that six Spanish cruisers and gunboats participated in the action. The first attack began between 8 and 9 a. m. May 1. The full American squadron seems not to have engaged in the first attack, but this is accounted for by the necessity of having one or perhaps more vessels watching the harbor favored. Then five or six of the stronger and faster Spanish ships had been sent out by Admiral Montejó as scouts, and if they heard the firing they were liable to come to the aid of their friends from some unexpected direction.

The insurgent chief, Alejandro, was on the Olympia with Commodore Dewey, and directed the Lascar pilot so that he avoided the mined places in the channel, which is extremely tortuous and difficult.

The American ships advanced in the form of a wide V, and met the Spanish fleet that was ranged in an inverted V formation, the Reina Christina, the Spanish Admiral Montejó's flagship, being at the apex. This vessel was the center of the fire, and was riddled and sunk by the guns of the Concord. She is said to have received 100 shots from 5 and 6-inch rapid-firing guns at a distance of 1,000 to 800 yards in two minutes. The gunnery was remarkable for its accuracy and deadliness.

After it was seen that the flagship was disabled and the Spanish admiral was observed to leave it in his center, the fire was concentrated on the Don Juan of Austria, which was torn to pieces, her captain and his first lieutenant being killed, and over one-third of the crew being killed or disabled. The wooden single screw Castilla was next attacked with the converging fire, set on fire and sunk.

Commodore Dewey's fire tactics seem to have been the system considered the best by all high European naval authorities, which is to select a ship to concentrate fire upon it. The Spanish battle formation is an old one, while that of the American Commodore allows each ship to concentrate its fire as may be directed.

It would appear from the burning and destruction of the three largest vessels of Spain's fleet that Dewey deliberately selected the largest vessels, one after another, and poured such a storm of heavy and light shells into each that it put one after the other out of action in short order. The first engagement, the dispatch states, lasted 40 minutes after the first shot, a part of which was utilized in taking positions to better carry out the system of attacking one after another of the more important craft.

The second fight seems to have been induced by the appearance of some Spanish war vessels that had been out cruising, and were coming into port. As nothing is said about any of the American ships retiring before both actions closed, it would appear that no disabling damages were inflicted.

The scene during the cannonading was terribly magnificent. The incessant roar of the heavy guns, with the sharper report of the quick-firing weapons, combined to make an overpowering belled din that was reached from all sides of the landlocked bay.

Not the least admirable feature of the exceedingly well planned attack was the astonishing acquaintance the American navigating officers displayed with the waters of the bay. They never seemed to be

in the least danger of running their vessels into the shallows, though the maneuvering was constant and sometimes elaborate.

When the day broke tens of thousands who were watching on all sides of the vast and beautiful harbor saw the enemy in line of battle about ten miles out, directly in front of Manila, with the bright American flag, the stars and stripes, floating gallantly over each ship, decks and all visible appointments so neat and trim that the fleet seemed to be out for a holiday rather than awaiting the opening of hostilities.

The Spaniards could hardly believe their eyes on seeing this formidable American fleet in the harbor, almost within firing distance of the capital city of the first of all eastern possessions. It seemed incredible, impossible.

A LUCKY MAN.

Washington, D. C., May 4.—Commodore Dewey is regarded by the naval officers as the luckiest man in the service. To have the honor of making the first fight in the war which is to add to the glory of his country is indeed great, and it is moreover a surprise.

The fleet of vessels of which the Olympia is flagship, went to the Asiatic station when the question of war with Spain was still a diplomatic controversy. He had not prepared for war, but was ready to accept it if it came. Moreover, it is known here to have been the intention of the president to withdraw the fleet from the Asiatic station and send it to the Pacific until notice of England's policy of neutrality was received. Then the ships were ordered from Hong Kong. They had to go somewhere, and as an emergency order the fleet was sent to Manila. There Dewey met and vanquished the braggart foe and has placed his name at the top of the list of heroes of the first great naval war with modern fighting ships.

## WAR IS EXPENSIVE.

Washington, May 4.—Secretary Gage made a statement before the senate committee on finance yesterday that an issue of bonds would be necessary. He estimates the war expenses for the next two months at \$50,000,000.

By that time the entire amount in the Treasury, with the exception of the gold reserve, would be exhausted, and \$30,000,000 of the reserve also taken. Mr. Gage also stated that the revenues would decrease on account of war. He said no estimate had been made of the cost of war for a year hence, as no one could say how long it would continue.

Secretary Long has prepared \$10,000,000 in the shape of a loan, etc., to the Asiatic squadron.

The fortifications appropriation bill has been agreed on in conference, carrying a total of \$9,377,494. The senate recedes from all its new legislation put in the bill, and the house recedes from disagreement to senate increases.

## JOHN C. FREMONT.

Navy Lieutenant John C. Fremont, commander of the torpedo boat Porter, will not long retain his present rank if he continues the war record he so bravely began the other evening by landing under the very nose of Morro's guns and securing valuable information for his chief, Admiral Sampson. Everybody knows that the lieutenant is a son of the old "Pathfinder" and a grandson, by his mother, of Thomas H. Benton. He was appointed at large, and was graduated from the naval academy in 1872. Since that time he has been shifted around from post to post, as it is the rule in the service, and is familiar with the waters of the globe from Asia to the Pacific coast and clear around to Europe and the Atlantic coast. In 1883 he was made a junior lieutenant, and one year later he was promoted to lieutenant. His little adventure on the Cuban coast was the first opportunity he had of showing his mettle. The exploit has been characterized by Admiral Sampson as a superb bit of daring, and has brought out high praise from the war department officials here. Lieutenant Fremont promises not to be idle for the rest of the war with Spain.

## A HIGH PLACE IN HISTORY.

Indianapolis, May 4.—Gen. Benjamin Harrison, when asked for an expression on the great naval victory, said:

"If the accounts we have received are correct, the performance of our fleet under Commodore Dewey at Manila will take a very high place in naval history. The passing at night into a harbor that was mined, to encounter at dawn the Spanish fleet under the guns of heavy land fortifications, and that without any reconnaissance or dilatory preliminaries, was a magnificent exhibition of pluck. It recalls Farragut and Mobile Bay. The fight must have been very hot, and we can hardly, I suppose, have escaped some losses in the gallant crew—if not of ships. I have an undaunted faith in the American navy—ship for ship and man for man, it is unmatched."

## SCHOOL BOARD.

Regular Session Held Last Night. Nothing of Importance Transacted.

No Action Taken in the Matter of Finishing the New Broadway School Building.

The school board met last night in regular session, President Leake in the chair.

Trustees Reddick, Brooks, Wells and Allen were absent.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Supt. McBroom read his regular report, showing an average white attendance during the past month of 1,403, colored, 480. This is an increase over the corresponding month last year of 210 white and 52 colored.

The following bills were allowed: Barry & Henneberger, \$2 00  
R G Terrill, 1 70  
E P Gilson, 6 80  
Len Faxon, 10 00  
Scott Hardware Co., 2 75  
Geo O Hart & Son, 65  
Barry & Henneberger, 2 00  
E B Richardson, 21 16  
W A Wickliffe, 47 75  
J M Hart, 50 55  
Prof McBroom, 1 50  
Jackson Foundry, 38 50  
C C Rose, 3 20

The regular pay roll was allowed, and the report of Treasurer Terrill was received and read.

The report of the census enumerators showed the following:



THE CUBAN ARMS AND SOUVENIR MEDAL.

First ward—White males 310, white females 337; total white in First ward 647. Colored males 310, colored females 341; total colored in First ward 651. Total in First ward 1,298.

Second ward—White males 231, white females 268; total whites in Second ward 499. Colored males 64, colored females 49; total colored in Second ward 113. Total in Second ward 612.

Third ward—White males 148, white females 119; total whites in Third ward 267. Total colored in Third ward 143. Total in Third ward 410.

Fourth ward—White males 193, white females 216; total whites in Fourth ward 409. Colored males 112, colored females 115; total colored in Fourth ward 227. Total in Fourth ward 636.

Fifth ward—White males 244, white females 266; total white in Fifth ward 510. Colored males 100, colored females 92; total colored in Fifth ward 192. Total in Fifth ward 702.

Sixth ward—White males 531, white females 468; total whites in Sixth ward 999. Colored males 160, colored females 168; total colored in Sixth ward 328. Total in Sixth ward 1,326.

A motion to provide a flagpole for Longfellow building was lost, on the theory that if it were provided this building would have one. Some of the pupils have raised enough money for the flag, and wanted the board to furnish the pole.

Supt. McBroom was instructed to carry out the rules relative to the attendance of a non-resident pupil, whose parents reside in Tennessee, who is attending the schools here without paying tuition.

## IN MEMORIAM.

Written on the death of W. B. Rayburn who was drowned Sunday, May 1, 1898.

He has solved the wonderful problem. The deepest, the strangest, the last. And into the presence of angels. With the answer, forever has passed.

It is idle to talk of the future. And the "might have been," 'mid our tears:  
God knew all about it, yet took him away from the oncoming years.

God knew all about it—how noble, How kind he was, and how brave, How brilliant his possible future— Yet put him to sleep in the grave.

God knew all about those who loved him, How bitter the trial must be; And right through it all God is loving, And knew so much better than we.

So in the darkness be trustful, One day you shall say: "It is well, God took from his young brow earthly troubles. And crowned him with Death's Immortality."

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## Y.M.C.A. NOTES.

State Secretary H. E. Rosecrans spent yesterday afternoon and evening in the city, and was present at a meeting of the directors before returning to Louisville early this morning. Mr. Rosecrans reports the "work" throughout the state as in a most encouraging condition.

A military club is being organized among the members. It is the intention to drill in military tactics twice a week in the association's "Gym." It does not harm one to know a little about soldiery and the methods of war, even should he never have occasion to enter active service for his country. Tuesday and Friday evenings are drill evenings.

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Washington, May 4.—It is expected that the Japanese authorities will receive early official information of the battle at Manila. They have developed during the Japan-China war all military and naval operations are communicated at once to the admiralty office at Tokyo and thence made known to Japanese officials throughout the world. Minister Hoshi has not received official advice.

It turns out that while Japan has given notice she will declare neutrality, a decree of neutrality is not yet actually issued, so that Yokohama and other advantageous ports of Japan continue to be open to the American fleet.

This is looked upon by the authorities here as an evidence of the friendly disposition of Japan toward the United States. It leaves both the ports of Japan and China still open to our ships. When the Chinese decree of neutrality is issued, there is strong hope, based upon reliable information, that it will contain what is known as the "hospitable clause." This would afford ample facilities to warships to lay in necessary coal supplies at Japanese ports to carry them to the next home port.

While the privilege could be enjoyed by Spain as well as the United States, yet the effect would be of distinct advantage to the United States, as it is in Asiatic waters that the United States most needs hospitable ports for re-coaling.

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WRITTEN AT RANDOM.

Col. Will Gray has a game rooster that is the terror of the neighboring chateaus. Col. Gray lives on the North Side, and didn't know how his chicken really was until yesterday. It is said that the average cock has too much gallantry to attack a defenseless hen, but gallantry seems to have been an unknown quantity with this rooster. Finding nothing left in the neighborhood to conquer, the rooster yesterday attacked the hen, which had a brood of chicks, a day old, and after a battle royal in the back yard, stuck a spur in her neck, and made orphans of all those little game chickens. Col. Gray has since been reading up on how to rear chickens without the natural means of support, for he thinks they will all profit by the example, unworthy though it be, set them in their infancy by their father, and turn out to be good fighters.

Since the battle at Manila, Prof. G. S. Ensel, of the city, has originated a new and very appropriate name for the Spaniards. 'The Spaniards call us 'pigs,' he said to a friend the other day, 'but I call the Spaniards 'pig-mies,' and when it comes to fighting Uncle Sam the epithet seems to be very appropriate. Prof. Ensel should get a copyright on the name.

Some man on the Evening World, in New York, has had the cry, 'Remember the Maine,' copyrighted, and not long since made the manufacturer of small buttons worn on coats pay him a handsome royalty for infringement.

If the war doesn't end pretty soon, Mr. Ben Weille will be in a predicament. In his window he has a flag of the United States and one of Cuba, that flutter in a breeze made by an electric fan. Nearly is a placard bearing the declaration that the flag will continue to float until Uncle Sam conquers Spain and Cuba is free.

The American flag has had so much exercise, however, that it is almost worn out, and has large rents in it that constantly threaten to convert the entire flag into shreds. It may wave itself out before Uncle Sam does the right thing.

Yesterday an old lady appeared at the Paducah Banking company's window, and with trembling hands removed from a time worn purse two gold coins. One might have detected tears in her eyes, for the time had come at last for her to part with them.

One proved to be an old California twenty-dollar gold piece, dated 1853, with 'San Francisco' stamped on it. The other was a United States double eagle, also of ancient date.

The lady informed the gentleman at the window that she had treasured them for nearly half a century, but now had to use them. The bank took the coins, and it is more than probable that there is a premium on the old California piece, especially. It is certainly a curiosity.

A well known and promising young hotel clerk now feels like a man. He was treated to his first shave day before yesterday, and the story is worth repeating. The young man could boast of nothing more formidable in the way of beard than a light fuzz. Some of his friends advised him to get a shave, but he refused, and persistently refused, until he aroused their honest indignation. The result was that they lay in wait for him until they captured him in front of a barber shop day before yesterday, and dragged him in. He remonstrated in vain. They placed him in the nearest chair, and the barber soon had the bloom of youth removed from his blushing countenance, his comrades holding him tightly as the operation proceeded. This step towards maturity bids fair to do the young man much good.

Several funny things that happened at the examination of recruits at the Boyd infirmary are gradually leaking out. One is in regard to a young fellow who was mad because he failed to pass.

'It's a shame,' he said confidentially to one of his friends. 'Here they threw me out because one of my fingers is crooked, and there was one slob in there with two crooked fingers, and he passed. I don't see what advantage a man with two

crooked fingers has over one with only one.'

Another young fellow felt somewhat skittish when summoned before the physician. After it was all over he declared to a friend:

'I knew nothing was going to hurt me, but I just couldn't keep from shaking all over, to save my life!'

There's one firm in Paducah that has everything to suit its name. It is the Lemon Commission Co., and everything about the establishment, in the way of letter and bill heads, and such things, are lemon colored. In addition they have flour and many other things they handle named after the firm. The house of the Lemons bids fair to become well known in this neck o' the woods.

War news is now about the most important thing in the world. An amusing instance of how eager everybody is to get it was witnessed in one of the courts in session here this week.

The judge was having a jury called and happened to spy a newspaper in the hands of someone who had just come in from the newsdealer's. He looked wistfully at the flaming headlines for a moment or two, and then, being able to resist the impulse no longer, took a recess of 45 minutes, while he read the latest.

A good joke is going the rounds on a well known wholesale grocer, who has a sweetheart in Russellville, Ky. It was all the result of the blundering ignorance of the shipping clerk, however, and thus the only hope he has of ever obtaining forgiveness.

Not long since while ordering candy from a New York firm, he saw listed in the catalogue, 'chocolate almonds.' He ordered a five-pound box of them for the young lady, and a day or two ago they came. He instructed the shipping clerk to make a neat package of them, and he would write and attach the tag, and ship them.

The clerk did as instructed, and also, at the same time, made a package of 500 paper sacks that were to go up the river on the same boat. The five-pound package of candy was then placed on top of the sacks.

The gentleman wrote out the tag, and when he went out to tie it on, it was his misfortune to get the young lady's name on the flower sacks. To make a long story short, the young lady got the 500 flower sacks, and the merchant received the candy. Thus the matter stands.

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Judson Lee Pierce, the young man crushed by the pile driver while making a coupling near Jackson street, in the Illinois Central yards in the city, yesterday morning, died in the railroad hospital last night early from his injuries. He was crushed in the side, and injured internally, his hurt proving much worse than expected.

The deceased was a resident of Kuttawa, and was about 25 years old, leaving relatives there.

The remains were carried to Kuttawa this afternoon on the early passenger, and will be interred there this afternoon.

KICKED BY A MULE.

John McCreery, a colored youth who drove the changing wagon for the city, was perhaps fatally kicked by a mule about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at E. H. Potter's blacksmith shop on South Third street above Adams.

The wagon was taken there for repairs, and McCreery attempted to take the mule out. While he was engaged in unfastening the trace, the mule kicked him in the stomach, knocking him several feet to the sidewalk. He was picked up unconscious and was at first thought to be dead. He afterwards recovered sufficiently to talk, and City Physician Rivers was called.

McCreery was conveyed to his home on South Tenth street, and last night became much worse, his recovery being doubtful.

OUT HIS MONEY.

Detective Anderson Miller was in the city today, and was not in the best of humor.

Several days ago he took Martha Hagens, colored, to the asylum. She was adjudged insane in the circuit court here, and ordered to Lakeland. She was delivered to the asylum authorities, and Mr. Miller received his vouchers, calling for \$15.

He sent it to Frankfort, and received a reply that it could not be paid as the woman should have been taken to Hopkinsville instead of Lakeland. The matter was then placed in the hands of Attorney Johnson Houser, who wrote the auditor, enclosing a copy of the order of the court ordering the woman taken to Lakeland. He received another reply saying that if the court made a mistake, the court should pay the costs.

Thus far Mr. Miller is out his expenses.

The trouble seems to be in the auditor's chief clerk, who appears to imagine he knows more than all the rest of the administration combined. Officer Tom Potter conveyed a prisoner to the asylum not long since, and went on to Frankfort to collect his money. The clerk refused to pay it, even after the auditor had ordered it paid, and the officer could not get it until he went in and saw the governor about it, and the governor ordered it paid.

ANOTHER GOOD CROWD.

There was another good audience at Morton's opera house last night, and the play presented by the Krause-Stout company was well received. The company is winning favor as one of the best that ever visited the city, and the prospects are for a good house every night this week.

PECULIAR SUI.

Eq. Copley, of Wingo, says he has a peculiar suit pending in his court. A man named Magness is charged with trespass. He rented a farm near Dublin and got dissatisfied with his Irish potatoes he had planted and ate them, and pulled up the onions and took them with him. The landlord had him arrested on a charge of trespass—Mayfield Mirror.

NEW BOTTLING WORKS.

Mayfield is to have a new bottling house. Mr. George Oehlschlaeger, of the city, has rented the brick store room of Mr. Mitchell, near the Broadway crossing, and will start in a few days to making all kinds of non-intoxicating summer drinks.

THE STRIDE OF PROGRESS.

Mayfield is fast taking on metropolitan airs and habits. Never before in the history of the city until very recently could you buy beer by the gallon or bucket full.—Mirror.

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TOTTLE OF AN IDOL.

Conservative people who do not wish to find that their idols have clay feet and stand on a slippery and sandy foundation, must either close their eyes and ears or suffer pain. You must not set your idols up for the admiration of the world, say the over-critical students of history, if you do not want them pulled down

and shattered to pieces before your face. No certain investigating souls are going around pulling the bed clothes off our great people. Several years ago we were told that William Tell never existed, and therefore had no apple shot off his head; that Horatius did not hold the bridge, but that that episode in history was merely an exaggerated account of a meeting between Horatius and some toll-gate raiders who wanted to force a bridge; that Nero never fiddled, as that musical instrument was not in existence in his day; that Washington never crossed the Delaware at the place always seen in the steel engravings, in a boat, as the water was too shallow and could easily have been forded; that there was no such thing as a Trojan horse, and that Washington swore like a trooper.

And now some person on the Philadelphia Record has found that the colored man, Hiram R. Revels, former United States senator from Mississippi, was not a colored man. He has always been classed as a colored man. One Dr. C. A. Peterson, of St. Louis, claims to have made a study of the lost Roanoke, Va., colony which Sir Walter Raleigh sent to Roanoke island in 1587, and says that Revels is a descendant of that mystery-shrouded band. He says that historians drop their investigations entirely too quick, by ending with the supposition that they were all killed by the Indians. Continuing, he says:

'In 1607 Capt. John Smith, who had been saved by Pocahontas, started an expedition from Jamestown to see if he couldn't discover the whereabouts of the missing colonists. Instead of going by boat they started overland. They proceeded about 100 miles, got tired, went back, and this was the last effort to find them, and here history, as it is generally recorded, ceases.

'Now for the facts which the historians have generally so singularly overlooked. In 1710, when the Huguenots and cavaliers started to penetrate the interior of North Carolina, they found some seventy-five miles from the coast, in what is now Robeson county, N. C., a colony of English-speaking people, many of whom had blue eyes and light hair. They inquired where they came from, and they replied, 'From Croatan.' 'How does it come that you speak English?' 'Our fathers were English.'

'They wrote one letter back about their discovery, a letter which, by the way, is in the archives of the board of trade of London. It is evident that a number of the Huguenots remained in the colony and intermarried, as there are a great many names of undoubted French origin to be found among the Croatan names of the present day.

'These people have always been called Croatans. There are some 4000 of them living in Robeson county, N. C., at the present time, but they have scattered all over the South and West. I have found Croatan names among all the five civilized tribes living in the Indian Territory.

'The Croatans have distinct racial characteristics. They are as dark as Portuguese, and are different in appearance from other Indians, negroes or Caucasians. In some instances there has evidently been a mixture with negro blood, and on this account when, in 1835, North Carolina and Tennessee disfranchised the negroes, they included the Croatans.

'The most eminent of the Croatans was United States Senator Revels, who was elected from Mississippi during the reconstruction days. He was classed as a negro, but was really a Croatan, one of those with a Huguenot name and ancestry.

'The family names of the Croatans are the same as those of the settlers on Roanoke island. They were men from Devonshire, England, and, furthermore, even the broad Devonshire pronunciation is found in certain words as used by the Croatans today.'

Mr. W. A. Ross left last evening for the Falls City on a business trip, where he will be gone probably until Friday. While there he may visit Churchill Downs.

Mr. William Simpson, who has been on the sick list for a week, is able to be out again.

Mr. Albert McKinney has returned from a visit to Henderson and Evansville and reports a most enjoyable stay. He got in yesterday and is still in the employ of the Jones Installation Co.

Mr. John Douglas, of 1043 Carter street, died May 3, aged 28 years. He was from Nashville and lived in the city six years. The remains were buried this afternoon in Oak Grove cemetery.

The funeral of Mr. Lawrence Glone who died at his home on Harrison street yesterday morning, took place this afternoon at the Washington street Baptist church, which was crowded with friends and acquaintances to hear the last rites over the remains. Rev. J. W. Hawkins preached an able and feeling sermon on the life and character of the deceased. The obsequies were conducted under the auspices of the Knights and Daughters of Tabor. The interment took place at Oak Grove cemetery.

Mr. A. W. Watkins has been on the sick list for the last two or three days.

Miss Maunie Smith is on the sick list.

Master Andrew Linderman who has been on the sick list is improving.

Mr. J. P. Anderson, of South Sixth street who is running on the river, was in the city today on a short stay. He will leave tomorrow.

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**Three hundred new silk ties**, beautiful shades, samples, no two alike, just the thing to wear with your new shirt waists. Regular price 50c; sale price 15c.

**Belts**—A large new line of jeweled belts, worth 50c, go in this sale for 25c.

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## LOCAL MENTION.

### STREET ROLLER RUNNING.

The street roller, which has not been operated since last fall, was today placed in the service, having been rented to the sewerage contractors, who will keep the street in repair with it.

The roller was placed to work on North Third, where the main sewer has been completed, and Mr. L. P. Rasor is engineer.

Dr. Edwards, Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat Specialist, Paducah, Ky.

### BIG EXCURSION LEFT.

One hundred or more left last night for Louisville to attend the races. A great many society people were in the crowd and an extra coach had to be put on to accommodate them all.

### SEWERAGE MEN ARRIVE.

Foreman McNichols arrived from Chicago this afternoon with fourteen men who will run the trenching machine at the main sewer. This force is sufficient, and will enable the contractors to proceed with the work without further interruption.

Linnwood, Linnwood, nothing else.

### MUST CHANGE UNIFORMS.

Supt. Gavin, of the Illinois Central, has notified all passenger train men that they must change from their winter to their summer uniforms by May 15th, the regular date on which the company requires the change.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic cures constipation forever. 10c, 50c. If C. C. C. fails, druggists refund money.

### MAYFIELD MILITIA.

Capt. A. L. Jordan, who has in hand the matter of raising a volunteer military company at Mayfield, has enlisted fifty-six up to date.

Incandescent lamp globes suitable for system for sale at McPherson's drug store.

### DIED IN THE ASYLUM.

Tom Hodges, the Mayfield negro who so brutally murdered Lattie Hale in Allen's livery stable about a year ago, and was adjudged insane when the case came to trial, died a day or two since in the asylum at Hopkinsville. County Attorney Graves received a letter yesterday asking what disposition to make of the remains. They will probably be buried, if they have not already been so.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes you strong, blood pure. 50c, \$1. All druggists.

### COUNTY COURT.

Mr. F. L. Scott qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Mr. Will Bayham.

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A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.  
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## UNSOLVED MYSTERY.

Strange Woman Left Her Boarding House Ten Days Ago, and Has Been Heard of No More.

She Often Talked of What Should Be Done Should She Get Killed—May Have Committed Suicide.

A mysterious disappearance was reported to Officer Tom Orr this morning, and it bids fair to develop into quite a mystery.

Two or three weeks ago an aged lady appeared at the boarding house of Mrs. Baker, on South Third street, near Norton, and engaged board.

She was known to those there only as "Miss Bettie," and nothing was learned of her former home, or her past life. She often seemed despondent, and once or twice asked Mrs. Baker, if she, the stranger, ever got killed, or failed to come back, to divide her clothing and other belongings among the poor and needy.

She seemed averse to telling anything about herself, and nobody took any unusual interest in her. Sunday a week ago, she left the house for a walk, and has never been seen since. Her absence was not regarded seriously at first, but it has now been ten days since she was last seen, and those at the boarding house have begun to suspect that the old lady has made way with herself, or met with foul play, especially as she left everything she had there. The first theory, in view of the remarks she several times made, seems the most plausible.

Her trunk, a quantity of clothing, and other possessions, are still at the boarding house, and the proprietress does not know what to do with them. An effort will be made to ascertain her identity, and find out, if possible, what has become of her. She was well dressed, and never once explained her mission here, nor where she came from.

## MILITARY NOTES.

Each Soldier Who Leaves Paducah Will Receive a Bundle.

The Boys Now Await the Call to Lexington—The State Expects Guns.

The soldiers will all receive, when they leave here next Monday, a bundle. This is the donation from the citizens, who subscribed to the fund started last Monday. The bundles are now on exhibition at Noah's Ark, there being 84 of them.

In each bundle is a blanket, pair of socks, handkerchief, tin cup, plate, spoon, knife and fork and a looking glass.

In addition to the above, \$119 was paid for other things purchased for some of the boys.

Gov. Bradley has sent out a circular to the physicians of the state telling those who desire to be surgeons to report to Lieut. Col. W. H. Gardner, United States army, and Dr. Barrow and Coleman, examining physicians at Lexington for examination.

Gov. Bradley has announced that he would organize but four companies to succeed the companies now being mustered into the United States service.

The state government will probably be sent a supply of guns from Washington in a few days. The governor said that there was now \$5,000 in the military fund and this would be sufficient to equip the state guard, and an extra session would not be necessary.

### RULE TO BE ENFORCED.

Officer Hoyer will this afternoon in pursuance of instructions from the city hall, notify all hack drivers at the Union depot that the space allotted to Terrell Bros. Transfer Co. will have to be reserved, as Judge Sanders decides that the railroad company has a right to do this. One of the hackmen yesterday got in the transfer company's reservation, and refused to get out, but no warrant was issued.

### ASSISTANT ENGINEER LYON.

The council will meet tonight in called session to take some action on the resignation of the assistant city engineer, W. W. Lyon, who has resigned. His resignation was tendered today, and the mayor called the council at the instance of the sewerage committee.



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### INVASION OF CUBA.

Key West, May 4—Generals Shafter and Wade are making preparations today to transport the army of invasion in Cuba.

They will accompany the expedition when it sails, but the latter, although having command with headquarters, as he is ranking general, will not direct the movement of the troops in the field.

Arrangements for the embarkation of the troops are being pushed with the utmost vigor.

The Florida and Olivette are being put in shape for the reception of the soldiers, and the Mascotte will be taken in hand and prepared for service as a transport.

Nearly every regiment in camp has been given to have everything in shape for breaking camp on short notice. The entire Twenty-Second regiment of infantry has been vaccinated.

It is barely possible that the United States troops will be actually en route to Cuba before the first of next week. But four of the necessary transports are as yet on hand, and it will probably be Sunday before all of the boats are here, and have received their coal and other supplies.

### POLICE COURT.

The case against Louis Winegar, charged with a breach of the peace, was called this morning and postponed on account of the absence of Mrs. Winegar.

John Duncan was fined \$1 and costs for a plain drunk, upon a plea of guilty.

A warrant has been issued for George Berry for alleged breach of the peace, committed by striking Maude Yelmina.

### BOARD OF HEALTH.

The board of health was in session at press time. It is the regular monthly meeting.

### THE STUPID BOY.

Not Always as Stupid as He Looks—Often Stupidly Judged.

Here is a lesson and perhaps encouragement for parents who have a stupid boy, for no doubt there are a few stupid boys in the world, even amid the lights of this closing century. It is said that when Isaac Barrow, one of the greatest of English preachers, was a boy his father thought him very stupid, and used to say if it pleased God to take from him any of his children he hoped it would be Isaac. But Isaac was not taken; he grew to be one of the greatest preachers of England, a professor in the University of Cambridge and a teacher of Sir Isaac Newton. It is not always stupid because he is pronounced stupid. He may be stupidly judged. The fire of intellect may kindle slowly; it may seem to be smothered under a heap of ashes, hopelessly suppressed. Genius does not always show up like a skyrocket. It may come like the rising of the sun to meridian splendor, slowly, steadily. Do not be discouraged by the apparent stupidity of the boy or girl. Give him or her a fair chance. The first movements of the great seagoing vessel are apparently awkward and hesitating as she tries to turn to get out of the harbor. But watch her graceful, splendid movements as she plows the ocean or weathers the storm.

Moreover, a stupid judgment of a boy is damaging to him. To call him a dunce, a blockhead, an idiot is very unwise as well as unkind. It may discourage him, may for a long time paralyze his efforts, may even permanently affect his character. Give the stupid boy a chance, and it will be known ere long whether he is really or only apparently stupid.—Baptist Courier.

### Cutting Acquaintance.

Woolley—Snithers says he makes no acquaintances among medical students.

Ketton—Why not?

Woolley—He says he's afraid he'll cut him dead.—Roxbury Gazette.

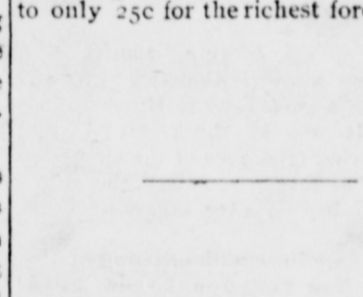
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Will begin a grand May sale of dry goods, millinery, notions, clothing, shoes and China mattings. An immense stock of everything.



### Wash Goods

Spring beauties. An array of loveliness possible only at this store. Dainty organdies, natty dimities, pretty lawns, French gingham and prettiest spring styles of calicoes. May sale prices 3's, 4's, 5's, 7's, 10's, 12's, 15's, and up to only 25c for the richest foreign stuffs.



### Skirts Ready to Wear

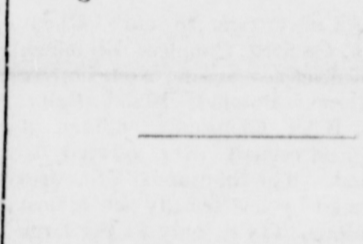
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Handsome silk skirts, May sale prices \$4.00 and \$6.88. Brocaded black wool skirts, May sale prices \$1.00, \$2.00, \$3.00, 4.00, \$5.00 and \$7.00.



### Millinery

If you have been buying your millinery materials elsewhere, the chances are that you have paid just about double the price that the same things will cost you here. A grand stock will be put on display for our great May sale. A fresh new arrival will reach us for each week's selling.



### China Mattings

These offerings will tempt you. Better mattings for less money than we had expected to offer you. We made a fortunate purchase of heavy straw and cotton warp. May sale prices 18c and 20c, richly worth 25c a yard.

Every nook and corner of our great store is bright with new goods for the May sale. American Lady corsets are found only here—\$1.00 and \$1.25 a pair.

### Visit Our New Clothing Department

On second floor. Leading manufacturers made our clothing. Everything in first class—all at May sale prices. Handsome black clay dress suits, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00, which means a saving of \$5.00 a suit to you.

Business suits in fancy worsteds, chevots and Scotchies, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$9.00 and up to \$12.50 a suit, which means a saving to you of \$2.00 to \$5.00 a suit.

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## NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

The Leybe fleet, after wintering here, left last night for St. Louis. The new steamer D. H. Pike was among the number.

The New South passed down today for New Orleans.

The City of Paducah, from St. Louis, passed into the Tennessee at 2 o'clock this morning, doing a good freight business.

The Cairo and Evansville packets were in and out this morning, carrying good freight receipts.

The Buttort arrived at 10 o'clock this morning from Clarksville, and left for Nashville this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Tennessee and Dunbar are due this afternoon out of the Cumberland by Evansville.

The dry docks and ways are both busy doing repair work.

The U. S. steamer Colbert arrived at noon from Cairo with a barge of brick for the government works up the Tennessee.

The river rose 1 inches here last night. The gauge showed 18.7 ft is morning.

The towboat Maggie Bille leaves this afternoon for the Tennessee river.

## Queenly Fabrics Within Reach of All

Ninety-cent black brocade silk for waists, special May sale price, 67c. Fifty styles plaid and check waist silks, special May sale prices 75c, 97c and \$1.15, all reduced from much higher figures.



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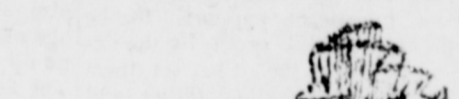
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